Many calls require the use of a service platform. The service platform executes call processing scripts, typically selected based on the dialed number, that direct the service platform to apply services to the call. One example of a service is a calling card service where a the service platform answers the call and prompts the caller with audio messages to enter their calling card number, a personal identification number, and a number to call. The service platform then checks the numbers and initiates the call to the desired number. Another example of a service is interactive call routing where the service platform prompts the caller to enter a "1" for customer service, "2" for accounting, or a "3" for product ordering, and then the service platform directs the switching system to route the call to the destination selected by the caller.

For the paragraph on page 11, beginning on line 21:

SCP system 102 processes LABEL #2 through translation tables to identify a second Switch and Trunk (SW/TNK #2) and digits for a second Dialed Number Information Service (DNIS #2). SCP system 102 transfers a response indicating SW/TNK #2 and DNIS #2 to switching system 101 (action 15). Switching system 101 uses SW/TNK #2 to route the call to destination call system 112 and to transfer DNIS #2 and the ANI to destination call system 112 (action 16). In some examples, the ANI is transferred in a "charge to" field. At this point, the call is established from caller 150 to destination call system 112 over call path 131, switching system 101, call path 132, service platform 104, call path 133, switching system 101, and call path 135.